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5. [] The Director, accompanied by Messrs. Smith, [] and Warner, appeared before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. See Memorandum for the Record and the transcript.

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6. [] Delivered to Bill Woodruff, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, a paper setting forth the status of the Reserve covering the last half of calendar year 1967. I explained the items on it.

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7. [] Talked to Mr. William Macomber, State Department, indicating that there should be a copy of the Director's statement to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee in the Department by early afternoon. Mr. Macomber stated he had understood things had gone very well at the morning briefing.

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8. [] Senator Stuart Symington called to advise that at a DIA briefing this afternoon they were advised that the PUEBLO had two 50 caliber guns which had not been uncovered. There was one casualty; a man's leg had been blown off and also that apparently the PUEBLO was about 25 miles from the shoreline. His interest in contacting us was the possibility of our advising Carl Marcy or Senator Fulbright so that these facts, which were different as set forth by the Director, would be coming from us rather than press sources. I checked on this matter with the Director and advised Mr. Marcy that there were some different facts and it was quite likely there is confusion on some of the minor points. Marcy fully understood the Director's position and, in fact, recalled that the Director had made it clear that the information we had on this matter had been received in the first instance from the Pentagon. He thought this would be no problem.

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9. [] Mr. Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, called to advise that Mr. Mahon is tentatively planning to have the briefing of the Defense Subcommittee by CIA during the week of 5 February, in all likelihood the 6th and the 7th. He indicated it is not settled whether the Military Construction Subcommittee members will also attend. He will advise when the plans are more firm. Mr. Michaels also indicated Mr. Mahon was thinking of a CIA Subcommittee meeting prior to that date and was considering the idea of the Subcommittee visiting the Agency. He will also advise further on this one.

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10. [] Met with Senator Jack Miller (R., Iowa) as a follow-up to the briefing prior to his recent trip to South America, and invited him to come to the Agency for breakfast and debriefing. Senator Miller advised that as much as he would like to, his time is completely committed at the moment and suggested that we discuss it further about the middle of next week. I plan to be back in touch with him at that time.

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11. [] Talked to various representatives of the reporting firm of Ward and Paul at different times during the day. I met with Mr. Ben Firshine and requested certain material be deleted from his notes. Although deletion of the material from the transcript in effect reduced the classification to secret, the reporting firm reproduction of the transcript was too far along to delete or change the top secret classification.

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12. [] Met with Mr. Arthur Kuhl and with Mrs. Mary McLaughlin, Senate Foreign Relations Committee staff, and advised that the classification of the transcript with the omission of the off-the-record statements requested by Mr. Helms could have been classified as secret, but that the reporting firm had advised that it was being handled and reproduced as top secret. Mr. Kuhl was of the opinion that this would not create any particular problem for the Committee in the handling of the transcript. I plan to meet with Mr. Kuhl again tomorrow after the Committee's 10:00 briefing to obtain, if possible, a copy for editing.

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